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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Ishrati Sherali
Kazuhiro TAKAHASHI, et al.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2621
Application No.: 10/645,672)	
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Filed: August 22, 2003)	
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For: IMAGE TRANSMISSION)	
APPARATUS AND METHOD	:	
THEREFOR)	December 16, 2005

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SIXTH INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of each of the listed documents is enclosed.

REMARKS

The following documents were cited in a Japanese Official Action of a foreign counterpart application corresponding to the above-referenced application:

- Document (1) JP-A 04-35586 A;
- Document (2) JP-A 06-133298 A;
- Document (3) JP-A 07-322256 A; and
- Document (4) JP-A 08-214222 A.

The concise explanation of relevance of these documents is found in the attached English-language Abstracts for each of the Japanese documents. In addition, in the Official Action, the Examiner states "The document 2 discloses that when motion is discriminated, a motion vector detected from a specific area is removed as an invalid vector or is provided with less weight. The other documents 1, 3 and 4 disclose to detect motion from an area positioned substantially at a center of a picture."

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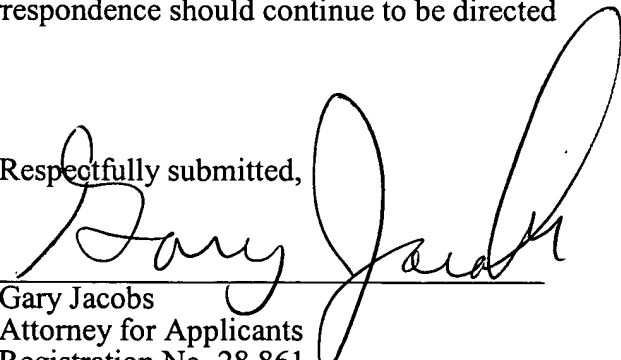
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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

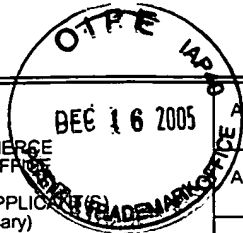
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		4-35586 A	02/06/1992	Japan	Abstract
		6-133298 A	05/13/1994	Japan	Abstract
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		8-214222 A	08/20/1996	Japan	Abstract
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